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Huntington Beach Police Department Makes Arrest for the Shooting on January 17, 2023

On Tuesday, January 17, 2023, at approximately 7 p.m., the Huntington Beach Police Department (HBPD) arrested 30-year-old Scott Catalano of Norwalk for assault with a deadly weapon involving the use of a firearm. The investigation began at the 15000 block of Huntington Village Lane earlier in the day.

Detectives from the HBPD's Crimes Against Persons Unit worked tirelessly to identify and arrest the suspect. Detectives located the suspect's vehicle in the City of Bellflower, occupied by the suspect and another male adult. Both individuals were arrested for various charges and booked at the HBPD's jail.

The investigation is still ongoing, and no further details will be released at this time.

The original facts and circumstances surrounding the incident are as follows:

On Tuesday, January 17, 2023, at approximately 12:00 p.m., the Huntington Beach Police Department (HBPD) responded to reports of an assault with a deadly weapon in the 15000 block of Huntington Village Lane.

Upon arrival, officers located a male adult with injuries. The individual was transported to a local hospital, where he is receiving medical care for gunshot wounds.

The investigation into this incident is still ongoing. However, the preliminary investigation suggests the victim and suspect are known to each other.

Anyone with information relating to the crime is asked to call the HBPD WeTip Hotline at (714) 375-5066. Additionally, please contact the OC Crime Stoppers at 1(855) TIP-OCCS (1-855-847-6227) to remain anonymous.